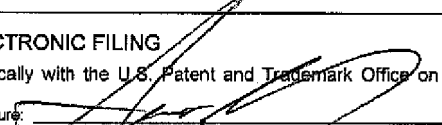


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In re Appln. of: Akira Nakano et al.

Appln. No.: 09/925,579

Filed: August 29, 2001

For: PLASMA PROCESSING
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PERFORMANCE VALIDATION
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METHOD THEREFOR

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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to the Office
Action dated November 14, 2006 for a period of one (1) month.

☒ Applicant:

☐ claims small entity status. See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.


☒ is other than small entity.

	<u>Extension Months</u>	<u>Other Than Small Entity</u>	<u>Small Entity</u>
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	One Month	\$120.00	\$60.00
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- ☐ Attached is a check for \$_____ which includes the Petition fee.
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- ☒ Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.
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